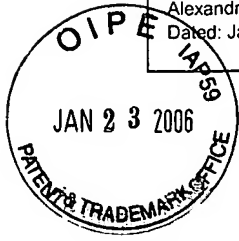


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**AMENDMENT AND PETITION TO DELETE**  
**CORRECTLY NAMED ORIGINAL PERSON(S); 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b)**

Sir:

This is an amendment and petition in accordance with Rules 1.48(b) to delete the correctly named original person(s) who are not inventor(s) of the invention now being claimed.

**NAMES TO BE DELETED**

The names of the following four (4) persons originally named as inventors are not the inventor(s) of the invention now being claimed in the subject application:

Jinqi Lu, Stanly John, Greg Shutske, and Neil Moorcroft.

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**CLAIM(S) NOW ON FILE**

The claim(s) in this application are as follows:

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claim 2, 5-10, 12-14 and 17 (Original);  
claims 1, 11, 15, 18, 19, and 26 (Amended); and  
claims 27-143 (New).

### **REQUIRED FEE**

Please charge Deposit Account No. **04-1105** for the \$130.00 required fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i). If for any reason a fee is required for the consideration of the within Petition, a fee paid is inadequate or credit is owed for any excess fee paid, you are hereby authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. **04-1105**.

### **RELIEF REQUESTED**

The Commissioner is respectfully requested to grant the within Amendment and Petition and, accordingly, delete the above identified originally named inventors.

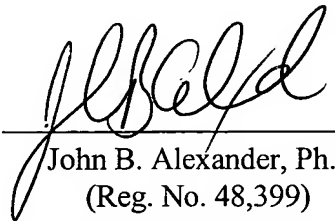
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If any further information or clarification is required regarding the within Petition, then the Patent Office is respectfully requested to call the undersigned, collect, at the below listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

January 23, 2006

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